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7. Issued By TACOM-ROCK ISLAND AMSTA-LC-CFA-B ROCK ISLAND IL 61299-7630			Code W52H09	8. Address Offer To (If Other Than Item 7)		

SOLICITATION

NOTE: In sealed bid solicitations 'offer' and 'offeror' mean 'bid' and 'bidder'.

9. Sealed offers in original and 1 Signed copies for furnishing the supplies or services in the Schedule will be received at the place specified in item 8, or if handcarried, in the depository located in _____ until 03:45pm (hour) local time 2001JUL31 (Date).

Caution - Late Submissions, Modifications, and Withdrawals: See Section L, Provision No. 52.214-7 or 52.215-1. All offers are subject to all terms and conditions contained in this solicitation.

10. For Information Call:	Name DAN MCGUIRE E-mail address: MCGUIRED@RIA.ARMY.MIL	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) (NO Collect Calls) (309)782-7262
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OFFER (Must be fully completed by offeror)

NOTE: Item 12 does not apply if the solicitation includes the provisions at 52.214-16, Minimum Bid Acceptance Period.

12. In compliance with the above, the undersigned agrees, if this offer is accepted within _____ calendar days (60 calendar days unless a different period is inserted by the offeror) from the date for receipt of offers specified above, to furnish any or all items upon which prices are offered at the price set opposite each item, delivered at the designated point(s), within the time specified in the schedule.

13. Discount For Prompt Payment
(See Section I, Clause No. 52.232-8)

14. Acknowledgment of Amendments (The offeror acknowledges receipt of amendments to the Solicitation for offerors and related documents numbered and dated:

Amendment Number	Date	Amendment Number	Date

15A. Contractor/Offeror/Quoter		Code	Facility	16. Name and Title of Person Authorized to Sign Offer (Type or Print)	
15B. Telephone Number (Include Area Code)		15C. Check if Remittance Address is <input type="checkbox"/> Different From Blk 15A- Furnish Such Address In Offer		17. Signature	18. Offer Date

AWARD (To be completed by Government)

19. Accepted As To Items Numbered		20. Amount	21. Accounting And Appropriation	
22. Authority For Using Other Than Full And Open Competition: <input type="checkbox"/> 10 U.S.C. 2304(c)() <input type="checkbox"/> 41 U.S.C. 253(c)()			23. Submit Invoices To Address Shown In (4 copies unless otherwise specified)	
24. Administered By (If other than Item 7)			25. Payment Will Be Made By	
SCD PAS ADP PT				
26. Name of Contracting Officer (Type or Print)			27. United States Of America _____ (Signature of Contracting Officer)	
			28. Award Date	

IMPORTANT - Award will be made on this Form, or on Standard Form 26, or by other authorized official written notice.

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SECTION A - SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

	Regulatory Cite	Title	Date
A-1	HQ, DA	NOTICE TO OFFERORS - USE OF CLASS I OZONE-DEPLETING SUBSTANCES	JUL/1993
	<p>(a) In accordance with Section 326 of P.L. 102-484, the Government is prohibited from awarding any contract which includes a specification or standard that requires the use of a Class I ozone-depleting substance (ODS) identified in Section 602(a) of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 7671a(a), or that can be met only through the use of such a substance unless such use has been approved, on an individual basis, by a senior acquisition official who determines that there is no suitable substitute available.</p> <p>(b) To comply with this statute, the Government has conducted a best efforts screening of the specifications and standards associated with this acquisition to determine whether they contain any ODS requirements. To the extent that ODS requirements were revealed by this review they are identified in Section C with the disposition determined in each case.</p> <p>(c) If offerors possess any special knowledge about any other ODSs required directly or indirectly at any level of contract performance, the U.S. Army would appreciate if such information was surfaced to the Contracting Officer for appropriate action. To preclude delay to the procurement, offerors should provide any information in accordance with FAR 52.214-6 or 52.215-14 as soon as possible after release of the solicitation and prior to the submission of offers to the extent practicable. It should be understood that there is no obligation on offerors to comply with this request and that no compensation can be provided for doing so.</p>		

(AA7020)

A-2 52-201-4501 NOTICE ABOUT TACOM-RI OMBUDSMAN NOV/1995
TACOM-RI

a. We have an Ombudsman Office here at TACOM-RI. Its purpose is to open another channel of communication with TACOM-RI contractors.

b. If you think that this solicitation:

1. has inappropriate requirements; or
2. needs streamlining; or
3. should be changed

you should first contact the buyer or the Procurement Contracting Officer (PCO).

c. The buyer's name, phone number and address are on the cover page of this solicitation.

d. If the buyer or PCO doesn't respond to the problem to your satisfaction, or if you want to make comments anonymously, you contact the Ombudsman Office. The address and phone number are:

U.S. Army TACOM-RI
AMSTA-AQ-AR (OMBUDSMAN)
Rock Island IL 61299-7630
Phone: (309) 782-3223
Electronic Mail Address: amsta-aq-ar@ria.army.mil

e. If you contact the Ombudsman, please provide him with the following information:

- (1) TACOM-RI solicitation number;
- (2) Name of PCO;
- (3) Problem description;
- (4) Summary of your discussions with the buyer/PCO.

(End of clause)

(AS7006)

Name of Offeror or Contractor:

A-3

52.210-4516

COMMERCIAL EQUIVALENT ITEM(S)

JUN/1998

TACOM-RI

THE GOVERNMENT HAS A PREFERENCE TO SATISFY ITS NEEDS THROUGH THE ACQUISITION OF COMMERCIAL ITEMS. IF YOU KNOW OF ANY COMMERCIAL EQUIVALENT ITEM(S) FOR THOSE LISTED IN THIS SOLICITATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE CONTRACTING OFFICE. INFORMATION PROVIDED WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR FUTURE PROCUREMENTS.

(END OF CLAUSE)

(AS7003)

A-4

52.211-4506

INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING SUBSTITUTIONS FOR MILITARY AND FEDERAL

DEC/1997

TACOM-RI

SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS

(a) Section I of this document contains DFARS clause 252.211-7005, Substitutions for Military Specifications and Standards, which allows bidders/quoters/offerors to propose Management Council approved Single Process Initiatives (SPIs) in their bids/quotes/offers, in lieu of military or Federal specifications and standards cited in this solicitation.

(b) An offeror proposing to use an SPI process under this solicitation shall identify the following for each proposed SPI as required by DFARS 252.211-7005 contained in Section I:

SPI	MILITARY/FEDERAL SPEC/STANDARD	LOCATION OF REQUIREMENT	FACILITY	ACO

(c) An offeror proposing to use an SPI process under this solicitation shall also provide a copy of the Department of Defense acceptance for each SPI process proposed.

(d) In the event an offeror does not identify any SPI in paragraph (b) above, the Government shall conclude that the bidder/quoter/offeror submits its bid/quote/proposal in accordance with the requirements of this solicitation.

(e) The price that is provided by the offeror in the Schedule in Section B will be considered as follows:

(1) If an SPI is identified in paragraph (b) above, the Government will presume that the price is predicated on the use of the proposed SPI.

(2) If there is no SPI identified in paragraph (b) above, the Government will presume the price is predicated on the requirements as stated in the solicitation.

(f) Bidders/quoters/offerors are cautioned that there is always the possibility that the Government could make a determination at the Head of the Contracting (HCA)/Program Executive Officer (PEO) level that the proposed SPI is not acceptable for this procurement. If such a determination is made, and the bid/quote/offer only identifies a price predicated on use of proposed SPI, the bid/quote/offer will be determined nonresponsive. Bidders/quoters/offerors who propose SPI processes are encouraged to provide a price below to reflect their price for the item manufactured in accordance with the requirements as stated in this solicitation to preclude possibly being determined nonresponsive:

CLIN

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PRICE \$

PRICE \$

PRICE \$

PRICE \$

(End of clause)

(AS7008)

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A-5 52.215-4503 NOTICE TO OFFERORS - ELECTRONIC BID/OFFER RESPONSE REQUIRED JUN/2001
TACOM-RI

1. In accordance with Management Reform Memorandum (MRM) #2 from the Department of Defense (DoD), all Services are required to eliminate paper from their acquisition process by January 1, 2000 (see information at <http://www.acq.osd.mil/pcipt/>).
2. In response to this mandates, TACOM-RI has established the capability to receive bids, proposals, and quotes electronically. A hotlink from the TACOM-RI Solicitation Page has been activated to fully automate the response process (see <http://aais.ria.army.mil/aais/SOLINFO/index.htm>).
3. IMPORTANT: Bids/proposals/quotes in response to this solicitation are REQUIRED to be submitted in electronic format. Hard copy bids/offers/quotes WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.
4. Your attention is drawn to the following clauses in Section L of this solicitation for instructions and additional information:

LS7011, Electronic Bids/Offers - TACOM-RI
(TACOM-RI 52.215-4510)

LS7012, Electronic Award Notice - TACOM-RI
(TACOM-RI 52.215-4511)

(End of clause)

(AS7004)

A-6 52.233-4503 AMC-LEVEL PROTEST PROGRAM JUN/1998
TACOM-RI

(OCTOBER 1996)

If you have complaints about this procurement, it is preferable that you first attempt to resolve those concerns with the responsible contracting officer. However, you can also protest to Headquarters, AMC. The HQ, AMC-Level Protest Program is intended to encourage interested parties to seek resolution of their concerns within AMC as an Alternative Dispute Resolution forum, rather than filing a protest with General Accounting Office or other external forum. Contract award or performance is suspended during the protest to the same extent, and within the same time periods, as if filed at the GAO. The AMC protest decision goal is to resolve protests within 20 working days from filing. To be timely, protests must be filed within the periods specified in FAR 33.103. Send protests (other than protests to the contracting officer) to:

HQ Army Materiel Command
Office of Command Counsel
ATTN: AMCCC-PL
5001 Eisenhower Avenue
Alexandria, VA 22333-0001

Facsimile number (703) 617-4999/5680
Voice Number (703) 617-8176

The AMC-level protest procedures are found at:

http://www.amc.army.mil/amc/command_counsel/protest/protest.html

If Internet access is not available contact the contracting officer or HQ, AMC to obtain the AMC-Level Protest Procedures.

(END OF CLAUSE)

(AS7010)

A-7 52.246-4506 NOTICE OF HIGHER LEVEL CONTRACT REQUIREMENT, TACOM QUALITY SYSTEM OCT/2000
TACOM-RI REQUIREMENT - ALTERNATE II

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(a) Your attention is drawn to Section E clause ES7025 entitled "Higher Level Contract Requirement, TACOM Quality System Requirement - Alternate II." Please note that this clause specifies a minimum quality requirement of compliance with an ISO 9002 system for performance of this contract. This means that although your in-house quality system may be based on international, commercial, or national quality standards, it must comply with the requirements of ISO 9002. Clause ES7025 of this document requires that you, the offeror, represent the level of quality system that you will utilize on the resultant contract.

(b) Certification of compliance for the quality system you identify in clause ES7025 by an independent standards organization or auditor is not required under this contract.

(End of clause)

(AS7025)

A-8 52.246-4538 CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (CP) 2 JUN/1998
TACOM-RI

THE U.S. ARMY TANK-AUTOMOTIVE AND ARMAMENTS COMMAND (TACOM) ROCK ISLAND (RI) ACTIVELY PARTICIPATES IN THE CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATION PROGRAM (CP)2.

THE (CP)2 CERTIFICATION PROCESS IDENTIFIES CONTRACTORS COMMITTED TO TOTAL QUALITY, CUSTOMER SATISFACTION, AND CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT OF THEIR DESIGN/DEVELOPMENT AND PRODUCTION PROCESSES. ANY CONTRACTORS WHO HAVE HAD OR ANTICIPATE HAVING CONTRACTS WITH ANY AMC MAJOR SUBORDINATE COMMAND MAY VOLUNTARILY PARTICIPATE.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING THE CONTRACT SPECIALIST, OR THE (CP)2 PARTNERSHIP TEAM AT (309) 782-7603.

(END OF CLAUSE)

(AS7502)

INDEFINITE DELIVERY INDEFINITE QUANTITY (IDIQ) CONTRACT

1. THIS SOLICITATION DAAE20-01-R-0094 WILL RESULT IN THE COMPETITIVE AWARD OF A LONG-TERM FIRM-FIXED PRICE INDEFINITE DELIVERY INDEFINITE QUANTITY (IDIQ) TYPE CONTRACT (SEE FAR 16.504) FOR THE SPRING, FLAT. THIS CONTRACT WILL INCLUDE THREE PRICING PERIODS AS SET FORTH IN PARAGRAPH 8.

2. THE QUANTITY OF 20,500 EACH SPRING, FLAT IS THE GUARANTEED MINIMUM QUANTITY TO BE AWARDED UNDER THIS SOLICITATION AND SPECIFICALLY REPRESENTS THE 'MINIMUM QUANTITY', AS DEFINED BY AND REFERENCED IN FAR AND DFARS CLAUSES CONTAINED WITHIN THIS SOLICITATION DOCUMENT EITHER IN FULL TEXT OR BY REFERENCE. THIS MINIMUM QUANTITY WILL BE OBLIGATED AT TIME OF AWARD. ALL OTHER ESTIMATED BUY QUANTITIES ARE ESTIMATES ONLY, AND DO NOT BIND THE GOVERNMENT IN ANY WAY.

3. THE MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM QUANTITY PRICING RANGES, AS SHOWN ON THE PRICING TABLE AT ATTACHMENT 002, ARE PROVIDED SOLELY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ESTABLISHING REASONABLE RANGES OF QUANTITIES AGAINST WHICH TO PROVIDE PRICES, AND TO ESTABLISH ORDERING LIMITATIONS IN THE EVENT THAT ORDERS BEYOND THE GUARANTEED MINIMUM QUANTITIES ARE EXECUTED. ALSO SEE I-41 (CLAUSE IF6029), ORDER LIMITATIONS FAR 52.216-19.

4. THE STATED MINIMUM PRICING RANGE QUANTITIES, OTHER THAN THE STATED GUARANTEED MINIMUM QUANTITY OF 20,500 EACH SPRING, FLAT, ARE NOT GUARANTEED BUY QUANTITIES. AN AWARD UNDER THIS SOLICITATION IN NO WAY OBLIGATES THE GOVERNMENT TO ORDER THE STATED MINIMUMS OR MAXIMUMS BEYOND THE GUARANTEED MINIMUM QUANTITY. EACH ORDER STANDS ON ITS OWN INSOFAR AS IT OBLIGATES THE GOVERNMENT.

5. IF ADDITIONAL ORDERS ARE PLACED, THE STATED MAXIMUM PRICING RANGE QUANTITIES ARE ESTABLISHED AS SPECIFIC LIMITATIONS ON THE ORDERING AUTHORITY OF THE GOVERNMENT. IN NO INSTANCE WILL THE GOVERNMENT PLACE ORDERS IN EXCESS OF THE TOTAL MAXIMUM PRICING RANGE QUANTITY STATED FOR EACH PRICING PERIOD. ALL ORDERS WILL BE ISSUED UNILATERALLY BY THE GOVERNMENT WITH FIRM DELIVERY DATES. DELIVERY DATES SHALL BE 150 DAYS AFTER DATE OF DELIVERY ORDER FOR EACH QUANTITY OF 5,000 AND 30 DAYS LATER FOR EVERY ADDITIONAL QUANTITY OF 5,000 EACH. (180 DAYS, 210 DAYS, 240 DAYS, ETC.). F.O.B. SHALL BE ORIGIN.

6. EVALUATION OF OFFERS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE EVALUATION GUIDELINES AND SPECIFIC EVALUATION PROCEDURES IN SECTIONS L AND M OF THIS SOLICITATION.

7. THE PROPOSED UNIT PRICES FOR ALL QUANTITIES, BOTH THE GUARANTEED MINIMUM QUANTITY AND THE INDEFINITE QUANTITIES SHALL BE MARKED IN THE TABLE IN ATTACHMENT 002. PROPOSED UNIT PRICES ARE NOT TO BE MARKED IN SECTION B (PAGE 7). PROPOSALS OFFERING PRICES FOR LESS THAN ALL THREE PRICING PERIODS AND ALL WEIGHTED QUANTITY RANGES WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. PROPOSALS OFFERING PRICES FOR QUANTITIES OTHER THAN THOSE SOLICITED WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

8. FOLLOWING ARE THE DATES OF THE PRICING PERIODS (PP) COVERED BY THIS SOLICITATION:

PRICING PERIOD (PP) 1 AWARD DATE THROUGH 30 SEP 02
PRICING PERIOD (PP) 2 01 OCT 02 THROUGH 30 SEP 03
PRICING PERIOD (PP) 3 01 OCT 03 THROUGH 30 SEP 04

9. THE GOVERNMENT'S MAXIMUM AND ESTIMATED QUANTITIES ARE SET FORTH IN THE TABLE BELOW.

CLIN 0001 (SPRING, FLAT)			
PP	MAXIMUM	ESTIMATED	
1	43,000 EACH	20,500	EACH
2	43,000 EACH	20,500	EACH
3	43,000 EACH	20,500	EACH

THE TOTAL MAXIMUM QUANTITY OF 43,000 EACH, SPRING, FLAT FOR PRICING PERIOD 1 INCLUDES THE MINIMUM QUANTITY OF 20,500 EACH, SPRING, FLAT, WHICH WILL BE OBLIGATED AT TIME OF AWARD.

10. ALL DELIVERY ORDERS WILL BE ISSUED UTILIZING THE UNIT PRICE PROPOSED FOR THE APPLICABLE QUANTITY RANGE BY PRICING PERIOD.
11. PREAWARD SURVEYS MAY BE CONDUCTED BEFORE CONTRACT AWARD.
12. FACSIMILE BIDS, OFFERS, MODIFICATIONS OR WITHDRAWALS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

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ITEM NO	SUPPLIES/SERVICES	QUANTITY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
0001	<p>SECTION B - SUPPLIES OR SERVICES AND PRICES/COSTS</p> <p><u>Supplies or Services and Prices/Costs</u></p> <p><u>PRODUCTION QUANTITY WITHOUT FIRST ARTICLE/OV</u></p> <p>NOUN: SPRING, FLAT FSCM: 19206 PART NR: 11577982 SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified NSN: 5360-00-824-0522</p> <p>MINIMUM CONTRACT QUANTITY</p> <p>(End of narrative B001)</p> <p><u>Packaging and Marking</u> PACKAGING/PACKING/SPECIFICATIONS: MILITARY PACKAGING LEVEL PRESERVATION: Military LEVEL PACKING: B</p> <p><u>Inspection and Acceptance</u> INSPECTION: Origin ACCEPTANCE: Origin</p> <p><u>Deliveries or Performance</u> DOC SUPPL REL CD MILSTRIP ADDR SIG CD MARK FOR TP CD 001</p> <p>FOB POINT: Origin</p>	20,500	EA	\$ _____	\$ _____
0002	<p><u>Supplies or Services and Prices/Costs</u></p> <p><u>DATA ITEM</u></p> <p>NOUN: DD FORM 1423 - CONTRACT DATA SECURITY CLASS: Unclassified Contractor will prepare and deliver the technical data in accordance with the requirements, quantities and schedules set forth in the Contract Data Requirements Lists (DD Form 1423), Exhibit A.</p> <p>A DD 250 IS NOT REQUIRED.</p>			\$ ** NSP **	\$ ** NSP **

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ITEM NO	SUPPLIES/SERVICES	QUANTITY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
	<div>(End of narrative B001)</div> <div><u>Inspection and Acceptance</u> INSPECTION: OriginACCEPTANCE: Origin</div>				

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	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
B-1	252.225-7008 DFARS	SUPPLIES TO BE ACCORDED DUTY-FREE ENTRY	MAR/1998

In accordance with paragraph (b)of the Duty-Free Entry clause of this contract, in addition to duty-free entry for all qualifying country supplies (end products and components) and all eligible end products subject to applicable trade agreements (if this contract contains the Buy American Act-Trade Agreements-Balance of Payments Program clause or the Buy American Act-North American Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act-Balance of Payments Program clause), the following foreign end products that are neither qualifying country end products not eligible end products under a trade agreement, and the following nonqualifying country components, are accorded duty-free entry:

NONE

(BA6701)

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SECTION C - DESCRIPTION/SPECIFICATIONS/WORK STATEMENT

	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
C-1	52.210-4501 TACOM-RI	DRAWINGS/SPECIFICATION	MAR/1988

In addition to the drawing(s) and/or specifications listed below, other documents which are part of this procurement and which apply to Preservation/Packaging/Packing and Inspection and Acceptance are contained elsewhere.

The following drawing(s) and specifications are applicable to this procurement.

Drawings and Specifications in accordance with enclosed Technical Data Package Listing - TDPL 11577982 with revisions in effect as of 11 Jan 2001 (except as follows):

No Exceptions

(CS6100)

Name of Offeror or Contractor:

SECTION D - PACKAGING AND MARKING

	Regulatory Cite	Title	Date
D-1	52.211-4501 TACOM-RI	PACKAGING REQUIREMENTS (SPECIAL PACKAGING INSTRUCTIONS)	FEB/2000

a. Military preservation, packing, and marking shall be accomplished in accordance with the specific requirements identified below, all the applicable requirements of MIL-STD-2073-1, Revision D, Date 15 DEC 99 and the Special Packaging Instruction contained in the TDP.

Preservation: MILITARY
Level of Packing: B
Quantity Per Unit Package: 001
SPI Number: P11577982, Rev. F, Dated 7 DEC 89

b. Unitization Shipments of identical items going to the same destination shall be palletized if they have a total cubic displacement of 50 cubic feet or more unless skids or other forklift handling features are included on the containers. Pallet loads must be stable, and to the greatest extent possible, provide a level top for ease of stacking. A palletized load shall not exceed 4,000 pounds and should not exceed 52 inches in length or width, or 54 inches in height. The load shall be contained in a manner that will permit safe handling during shipment and storage.

c. Marking: In addition to any special markings called out on the SPI, all unit packages, intermediate packs, exterior shipping containers, and as applicable, unitized loads shall be marked in accordance with MIL-STD-129, Revision N, Date 15 May 97, including bar coding in accordance with ANSI/AIM-BC1, Uniform Symbology Specification Code 39.

d. This SPI has been validated and the method of preservation/packing has proven successful in meeting the needs of the military distribution system, including indeterminate storage and shipment throughout the world. Special instructions and/or tailoring of the SPI is detailed in the Supplemental Instructions in paragraph e below. A prototype package is required to validate the sizes and fit requirements of the SPI. Minor dimensional and size changes are acceptable provided the contractor notifies the Administrative Contracting Officer.60 days prior to delivery. Any design changes or changes in the method of preservation that provide a cost savings without degrading the method of preservation or packing or affecting the serviceability of the item will be considered and responded to within 10 days of submission to the Contracting Officer and the Administrative Contracting Officer. Government reserves the right to require testing to validate alternate industrial preservation methods, materials, alternate blocking, bracing, cushioning, and packing.

e. SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTIONS: UNIT PACKAGE QUANTITY SHALL BE AS STATED ABOVE AND NOT AS STATED ON THE SPECIAL PACKAGING INSTRUCTION SHEET (10/EA). DELETE MIL-P-116 AND REPLACE WITH MIL-STD-2073-1.

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SECTION E - INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE
This document incorporates one or more clauses by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a clause may be accessed electronically at these addresses:

<http://www.arnet.gov/far/> or www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars

If the clause requires additional or unique information, then that information is provided immediately after the clause title.

(EA7001)

	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
E-1	52.246-2	INSPECTION OF SUPPLIES - FIXED-PRICE	AUG/1996
E-2	52.246-4025 TACOM-RI	HIGHER LEVEL CONTRACT REQUIREMENT, TACOM QUALITY SYSTEM REQUIREMENT - ALTERNATE II	OCT/2000

(a) As the contractor, you shall implement and maintain a quality system that ensures the functional and physical conformity of all products or services you furnish under this contract. Your quality system shall achieve (1) defect prevention and (2) process control providing adequate quality controls throughout all areas of contract performance. Your quality system shall, at a minimum, comply with the requirements of an ISO 9002 system.

(b) Your quality system may be based on (1) international quality standards such as ISO 9002, or (2) commercial, or (3) national quality standards. NOTE: Systems such as ISO 9003 are unacceptable for this procurement. You represent that your performance under this contract will be in accordance with your quality system, which is in compliance with:

- () ISO 9001
- () ISO 9002
- () QS 9000
- () ANSI/ASQ 9001
- () ANSI/ASQ 9002

(c) Certification of compliance for the quality system you identify above, by an independent standards organization or auditor, is not required.

(d) At any point during contract performance, we have the right to review your quality system to assess its effectiveness in meeting contract requirements.

(End of clause)

(ES7025)

E-3	52.246-4503 TACOM-RI	ALTERNATIVES TO LOT ACCEPTANCE SAMPLING (INCLUDING STATISTICAL PROCESS CONTROL (SPC))	JAN/1999
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(a) Offerors are encouraged to propose a defect prevention strategy in lieu of lot acceptance inspection and testing requirements cited in the technical data package. The Government recognizes that industry has developed numerous prevention based strategies which result in reduced process variation and promote continuous process improvement initiatives. Use of alternatives to lot acceptance sampling can provide offerors the latitude of implementing prevention based programs that are suitable to their particular mode of operation. Offerors are encouraged to submit their alternative proposals prior to award. Although the Government will entertain post award requests, there is no guarantee such requests will be accepted.

(b) Requests to use alternatives to lot acceptance sampling shall be provided to the Contracting Officer for review and approval or disapproval. Such requests shall include:

- (1) Identification of the specific inspections and tests to be reduced or eliminated.
- (2) A description of your prevention based program. This should include such topics as a training program and the performance of audits.
- (3) A description of the tools used to monitor and control the specific processes being evaluated. This should include such

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topics as criteria for determining out of control conditions and procedures to be used when an out of control condition is detected.

- (4) The results of a process performance study, and if available, the results of a process capability study.
- (5) For SPC data to be used as an alternative to lot acceptance sampling, the following conditions shall be met:
 - (i) The process is in a state of statistical control using SPC control chart methods.
 - (ii) Variable data: for Critical characteristics a CPK \geq 2.00 (or equivalent capability) is achieved; for Major characteristics a CPK \geq 1.33 (or equivalent capability) is achieved.
 - (iii) Attribute data: for Critical Characteristics a process average of 100% of the product conforming to the specification; for Major Characteristics a process average of 99.9937% of the product conforming to the specification.
- (c) Proposals offered after award. The Contracting Officer is responsible for accepting or rejecting the alternate lot acceptance procedure submitted by the contractor. The contractor may submit an alternate lot acceptance procedure at any time during the performance of this contract. The Contracting Officer is responsible for accepting or rejecting the alternate procedure within 30 days of receipt. If the Government needs more time to evaluate the alternate procedure, the Contracting Officer shall notify the contractor in writing, giving the reasons and the anticipated decision date. The contractor may withdraw its proposal at anytime prior to its incorporation by contract modification. Because offerors may withdraw their proposal at anytime, the Contracting Officer's failure to timely accept or reject the proposal shall not constitute grounds for claim against the Government. Any proposed and accepted procedure must be incorporated by contract modification. If the alternate procedure is not accepted, the Contracting Officer shall provide the contractor with written notification, explaining the reasons for rejection.
- (d) Any equitable adjustment resulting from approval of an alternate lot acceptance procedure described in paragraph (c) above will be handled in accordance with the Changes clause of this contract.
- (e) Until notification is received, the contractor is required to perform under this contract in accordance with the requirements herein, including lot acceptance inspection and testing.

(End of clause)

(ES7019)

E-4	52.246-4528	REWORK AND REPAIR OF NONCONFORMING MATERIAL TACOM-RI	MAY/1994
a. Rework and Repair are defined as follows:			
(1) Rework - The reprocessing of nonconforming material to make it conform completely to the drawings, specifications or contract requirements.			
(2) Repair - The reprocessing of nonconforming material in accordance with approved written procedures and operations to reduce, but not completely eliminate, the nonconformance. The purpose of repair is to bring nonconforming material into a usable condition. Repair is distinguished from rework in that the item after repair still does not completely conform to all of the applicable drawings, specifications or contract requirements.			
b. Rework procedures along with the associated inspection procedures shall be documented by the Contractor and submitted to the Government Quality Assurance Representative (QAR) for review prior to implementation. Rework procedures are subject to the QAR's disapproval.			
c. Repair procedures shall be documented by the Contractor and submitted on a Request for Deviation/Waiver, to the Contracting Officer for review and written approval prior to implementation.			
d. Whenever the Contractor submits a repair or rework procedure for Government review, the submission shall also include a description of the cause for the nonconformances and a description of the action taken or to be taken to prevent recurrence.			
e. The rework or repair procedure shall also contain a provision for reinspection which will take precedence over the Technical Data Package requirements and shall, in addition, provide the Government assurance that the reworked or repaired items have met reprocessing requirements.			

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(End of Clause)

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SECTION F - DELIVERIES OR PERFORMANCE

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If the clause requires additional or unique information, then that information is provided immediately after the clause title.

(FA7001)

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F-1	52.242-15	STOP-WORK ORDER	AUG/1989
F-2	52.242-17	GOVERNMENT DELAY OF WORK	APR/1984
F-3	52.247-29	F.O.B. ORIGIN	JUN/1988
F-4	52.247-32	F.O.B. ORIGIN, FREIGHT PREPAID	JUN/1988
F-5	52.247-61	F.O.B. ORIGIN - MINIMUM SIZE OF SHIPMENTS	APR/1984
F-6	52.247-65	F.O.B. ORIGIN, PREPAID FREIGHT - SMALL PACKAGE SHIPMENTS	JAN/1991
F-7	52.211-16	VARIATION IN QUANTITY	APR/1984

(a) A variation in the quantity of any item called for by this contract will not be accepted unless the variation has been caused by conditions of loading, shipping, or packing, or allowances in manufacturing processes, and then only to the extent, if any, specified in paragraph (b) below.

(b) The permissible variation shall be limited to:

Zero percent (0%) increase

Zero percent (0%) decrease.

This increase or decrease shall apply to the total contract quantity.

(FF7020)

F-8	52.247-4531 TACOM-RI	COGNIZANT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	MAY/1993
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(a) The contract administration office designated at the time of contract award, or the office servicing the point of shipment if subsequently designated by the original office, will be the contact point to which the contractor will:

(1) Submit, as necessary, DD Form 1659, Application for U.S. Government Bill(s) of Lading/Export Traffic Release, in triplicate at least ten days prior to date supplies will be available for shipment;

(2) Obtain shipping instructions as necessary for F.O.B. Destination delivery; and

(3) Furnish necessary information for MILSTRIP/MILSTAMP or other shipment documentation and movement control, including air and water terminal clearances.

(4) For FMS, at least 10 days in advance of actual shipping date the contractor should request verification of 'Ship to' and 'Notification' address from the appropriate DCMAO.

(b) The contract administration office will provide to the contractor data necessary for shipment marking and freight routing.

(c) The contractor shall not ship directly to a Military air or water port terminal without authorization by the designated point of contact.

(End of Clause)

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SECTION H - SPECIAL CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

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(HA7001)

	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
H-1	252.247-7023 DFARS	TRANSPORTATION OF SUPPLIES BY SEA	MAR/2000
H-2	252.247-7024 DFARS	NOTIFICATION OF TRANSPORTATION OF SUPPLIES BY SEA	MAR/2000
H-3	52.246-4500 TACOM-RI	MATERIAL INSPECTION & RECEIVING REPORTS (DD FORM 250)	MAY/2000

(a) Material Inspection and Receiving Report(s) (DD Form 250), are required to be prepared and furnished to the Government under the clause of this contract entitled 'Material Inspection and Receiving Report'. Distribution of reports to the Purchasing Office (in accordance with DoD FAR Supplement Appendix F) shall be accomplished electronically.

(b) Two copies of the DD Form 250 are required to be submitted to the Purchasing Office. To satisfy this submission requirement electronically, the completed documents may be transmitted via electronic mail, or data fax. The electronic mail addresses for submission are mcguired@ria.army.mil and AMSTA-LC-CTRL@ria.army.mil. The data fax numbers for submission are (309) 782-2301, ATTN: Dan McGuire and (309) 782-1338 (ATTN: Nancy Fraser).

(c) Any additional copies required in accordance with Appendix F may be submitted to the addresses identified below via the U. S. Postal Service:

- (1) The FMS/MAP copies may be submitted to:
N/A

(End of Clause)

(HS6510)

H-4	52.239-4500 TACOM-RI	YEAR 2000 (Y2K) COMPLIANCE	NOV/1998
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a. In the event that this contract calls for the delivery of any data processing hardware, software and/or firmware (to be referred to as information technology), such deliverables shall be required to perform accurate date/time processing involving dates subsequent to December 31, 1999. The information technology shall be Year 2000 compliant upon delivery.

b. Definition. Year 2000 compliant means information technology that accurately processes date/time data (including, but not limited to, calculating, comparing, and sequencing) from, into and between the twentieth and twenty-first centuries, and the years 1999 and 2000 and leap year calculations. Furthermore, year 2000 compliant information technology, when used in combination with other information technology properly exchanges date/time data with it.

(End of clause)

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H-5 52.247-4545 PLACE OF CONTRACT SHIPPING POINT, RAIL INFORMATION MAY/1993
TACOM-RI

The bidder/offeror is to fill in the 'Shipped From' address, if different from 'Place of Performance' indicated elsewhere in this section.

Shipped From:

For contracts involving F.O.B. Origin shipments furnish the following rail information:

Does Shipping Point have a private railroad siding? _____ YES _____ NO

If YES, give name of rail carrier serving it: _____

If NO, give name and address of nearest rail freight station and carrier serving it:

Rail Freight Station Name and Address: _____

Serving Carrier: _____

(End of Clause)

(HS7600)

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(IA7001)

	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
I-1	52.202-1	DEFINITIONS	MAY/2001
I-2	52.211-5	MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS	AUG/2000
I-3	52.211-15	DEFENSE PRIORITY AND ALLOCATION REQUIREMENTS	SEP/1990
I-4	52.219-6	NOTICE OF TOTAL SMALL BUSINESS SET-ASIDE	JUL/1996
I-5	52.219-14	LIMITATIONS ON SUBCONTRACTING	DEC/1996
I-6	52.222-19	CHILD LABOR - COOPERATION WITH AUTHORITIES AND REMEDIES	FEB/2001
I-7	52.222-21	PROHIBITION OF SEGREGATED FACILITIES	FEB/1999
I-8	52.222-26	EQUAL OPPORTUNITY	FEB/1999
I-9	52.222-35	AFFIRMATIVE ACTION FOR DISABLED VETERANS AND VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM ERA	APR/1998
I-10	52.222-36	AFFIRMATIVE ACTION FOR WORKERS WITH DISABILITIES	JUN/1998
I-11	52.222-37	EMPLOYMENT REPORTS ON DISABLED VETERANS AND VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM ERA	JAN/1999
I-12	52.225-13	RESTRICTIONS ON CERTAIN FOREIGN PURCHASES	JUL/2000
I-13	52.232-1	PAYMENTS	APR/1984
I-14	52.232-8	DISCOUNTS FOR PROMPT PAYMENT	MAY/1997
I-15	52.232-11	EXTRAS	APR/1984
I-16	52.232-18	AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS	APR/1984
I-17	52.232-23	ASSIGNMENT OF CLAIMS - ALTERNATE I	APR/1984
I-18	52.232-25	PROMPT PAYMENT	MAY/2001
I-19	52.232-33	PAYMENT BY ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER - CENTRAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION	MAY/1999
I-20	52.233-1	DISPUTES	JAN/1999
I-21	52.233-3	PROTEST AFTER AWARD	OCT/1995
I-22	52.242-10	F.O.B. ORIGIN - GOVERNMENT BILLS OF LADING OR PREPAID POSTAGE	APR/1984
I-23	52.243-1	CHANGES - FIXED PRICE	AUG/1987
I-24	52.244-6	SUBCONTRACTS FOR COMMERCIAL ITEMS	MAY/2001
I-25	52.246-1	CONTRACTOR INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS	APR/1984
I-26	52.247-63	PREFERENCE FOR U.S. - FLAG AIR CARRIERS	JAN/1997
I-27	52.249-1	TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE OF THE GOVERNMENT (FIXED-PRICE) (SHORT FORM)	APR/1984
I-28	52.249-8	DEFAULT (FIXED-PRICE SUPPLY AND SERVICE)	APR/1984
I-29	52.253-1	COMPUTER GENERATED FORMS	JAN/1991
I-30	252.204-7003 DFARS	CONTROL OF GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL WORK PRODUCT	APR/1992
I-31	252.215-7000 DFARS	PRICING ADJUSTMENTS	DEC/1991
I-32	252.225-7001 DFARS	BUY AMERICAN ACT AND BALANCE OF PAYMENTS PROGRAM	MAR/1998
I-33	252.225-7002 DFARS	QUALIFYING COUNTRY SOURCES AS SUBCONTRACTORS	DEC/1991
I-34	252.225-7009 DFARS	DUTY-FREE ENTRY--QUALIFYING COUNTRY SUPPLIES (END PRODUCTS AND COMPONENTS)	AUG/2000
I-35	252.225-7014 DFARS	PREFERENCE FOR DOMESTIC SPECIALTY METALS - ALTERNATE I	MAR/1998
I-36	252.225-7025 DFARS	RESTRICTION ON ACQUISITION OF FORGINGS	JUN/1997
I-37	252.231-7000 DFARS	SUPPLEMENTAL COST PRINCIPLES	DEC/1991
I-38	252.242-7000 DFARS	POSTAWARD CONFERENCE	DEC/1991

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I-39	252.242-7003 DFARS	APPLICATION FOR U.S. GOVERNMENT SHIPPING	DEC/1991
I-40	252.243-7001 DFARS	PRICING OF CONTRACT MODIFICATIONS	DEC/1991
I-41	252.246-7000 DFARS	MATERIAL INSPECTION AND RECEIVING REPORT	DEC/1991
I-42	52.216-18	ORDERING	OCT/1995

(a) Any supplies and services to be furnished under this contract shall be ordered by issuance of delivery orders or task orders by the individuals or activities designated in the Schedule. Such orders may be issued from date of award of contract through 30 SEP 2003.

(b) All delivery orders or task orders are subject to the terms and conditions of this contract. In the event of conflict between a delivery order or task order and this contract, the contract shall control.

(c) If mailed, a delivery order or task order is considered "issued" when the Government deposits the order in the mail. Orders may be issued orally, by facsimile, or by electronic commerce methods only if authorized in the Schedule.

End of Clause

(IF6155)

I-43	52.216-19	ORDER LIMITATIONS	OCT/1995
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(a) Minimum order. When the Government requires supplies or services covered by this contract in an amount of less than 20,500, the Government is not obligated to purchase, nor is the Contractor obligated to furnish, those supplies or services under the contract.

(b) Maximum order. The Contractor is not obligated to honor -

(1) Any order for a single item in excess of 43,000 Each;

(2) Any order for a combination of items in excess of 43,000 Each; or

(3) A series of orders from the same ordering office within 30 days that together call for quantities exceeding the limitation in subparagraph (1) or (2) above.

(c) If this is a requirements contract (i.e., includes the Requirements clause at subsection 52.216-21 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR)), the Government is not required to order a part of any one requirement from the Contractor if that requirement exceeds the maximum-order limitations in paragraph (b) above.

(d) Notwithstanding paragraphs (b) and (c) above, the Contractor shall honor any order exceeding the maximum order limitations in paragraph (b), unless that order (or orders) is returned to the ordering office within 14 days after issuance, with written notice stating the Contractor's intent not to ship the item (or items) called for and the reasons. Upon receiving this notice, the Government may acquire the supplies or services from another source.

(End of Clause)

(IF6029)

I-44	52.216-22	INDEFINITE QUANTITY	OCT/1995
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(a) This is an indefinite-quantity contract for the supplies or services specified, and effective for the period stated, in the Schedule. The quantities of supplies and services specified in the Schedule are estimates only and are not purchased by this contract.

(b) Delivery or performance shall be made only as authorized by orders issued in accordance with the Ordering clause. The Contractor shall furnish to the Government, when and if ordered, the supplies or services specified in the Schedule up to and including

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the quantity designated in the Schedule as the "maximum". The Government shall order at least the quantity of supplies or services designated in the Schedule as the "minimum".

(c) Except for any limitations on quantities in the Order Limitations clause or in the Schedule, there is no limit on the number of orders that may be issued. The Government may issue orders requiring delivery to multiple destinations or performance at multiple locations.

(d) Any order issued during the effective period of this contract and not completed within that period shall be completed by the Contractor within the time specified in the order. The contract shall govern the Contractor's and Government's rights and obligations with respect to that order to the same extent as if the order were completed during the contract's effective period; provided, that the Contractor shall not be required to make any deliveries under this contract after 31 MAR 2005.

(End of clause)

(IF6036)

I-45	52.209-6	PROTECTING THE GOVERNMENT'S INTEREST WHEN SUBCONTRACTING WITH CONTRACTORS DEBARRED, SUSPENDED, OR PROPOSED FOR DEBARMENT	AUG/1995
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(a) The Government suspends or debar Contractors to protect the Government's interests. The Contractor shall not enter into any subcontract in excess of the small purchase limitation at FAR 13.000 with a Contractor that is debarred, suspended, or proposed for debarment unless there is a compelling reason to do so.

(b) The Contractor shall require each proposed first-tier subcontractor, whose subcontract will exceed the small purchase limitation at FAR 13.000, to disclose to the Contractor, in writing whether as of the time of award of the subcontract, the subcontractor, or its principals is or is not debarred, suspended, or proposed for debarment by the Federal Government.

(c) A corporate officer or a designee of the Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer, in writing, before entering into a subcontract with a party that is debarred, suspended, or proposed for debarment (see FAR 9.404 for information on the List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement and Nonprocurement Programs). The notice must include the following:

- (1) The name of the subcontractor.
- (2) The Contractor's knowledge of the reasons for the subcontractor being on the List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement and Nonprocurement Programs.
- (3) The compelling reason(s) for doing business with the subcontractor notwithstanding its inclusion on the List of Parties Excluded From Federal Procurement Nonprocurement Programs.
- (4) The systems and procedures the Contractor has established to ensure that it is fully protecting the Government's interests when dealing with such subcontractor in view of the specific basis for the party's debarment, suspension, or proposed debarment.

(End of Clause)

(IF7212)

I-46	52.215-8	ORDER OF PRECEDENCE - UNIFORM CONTRACT FORMAT	OCT/1997
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Any inconsistency in this solicitation or contract shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order: (a) the Schedule (excluding the specifications); (b) representations and other instructions; (c) contract clauses; (d) other documents, exhibits, and attachments; and (e) the specifications.

NOTE: The Order of Precedence within the specifications (paragraph (e) above) is: (1) Detailed specifications (including gage designs) for item(s) being procured; (2) Detailed specifications for material or operations; (3) General Specifications for class or items, and (4) General Specifications for class of materials.

(End of Clause)

(IF7003)

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I-4752.222-20WALSH-HEALEY PUBLIC CONTRACTS ACTDEC/1996

(a) All stipulations required by the Act and regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR Chapter 50) are incoroprated by reference. These stipulations are subject to all applicable rulings and interpretations of the Secretary of Labor that are now, or may hereafter, be in effect.

(b) All employees whose work relates to this contract shall be paid not less than the minimum wage prescribed by regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR 50-202.2). Learners, student learners, apprentices, and handicapped workers may be employed at less than the prescribed minimum wage (see 41 CFR 50-202.3) to the same extent that such employment is permitted under Section 14 of the Fair Labor Standards Act (41 U.S.C. 40).

(End of clause)

(IF7114)

I-4852.242-12REPORT OF SHIPMENT (RESHIP)JUL/1995

Unless otherwise directed by the Contracting Officer, the Contractor shall send a prepaid notice of shipment to the consignee transportation officer for all shipments of classified material, protected sensitive, and protected controlled material; explosives and poisons, classes A and B; radioactive materials requiring the use of a III bar label; or when a truckload/carload shipment of supplies weighing 20,000 pounds or more, or a shipment of less weight that occupies the full visible capacity of a railway car or motor vehicle, is given to any carrier (common, contract or private) for transportation to a domestic (i.e., within the United States excluding Alaska or Hawaii, or if shipment originates in Alaska or Hawaii within Alaska or Hawaii, respectively) destination (other than a port for export). The notice shall be transmitted by rapid means to be received by the consignee transportation officer at least 24 hours before the arrival of the shipment. The Government bill of lading, commercial bill of lading or letter or other document that contains all of the following shall be addressed and sent promptly to the receiving transportation officer. This document shall be prominently identified by the Contractor as being a ''Report of Shipment'' or ''RESHIP FOR T.O.''

Message Example:

REPSHIP FOR T.O. 81 JUN 01

TRANSPORTATION OFFICER

DEFENSE DEPOT, MEMPHIS, TENN.

SHIPPED YOUR DEPOT 1981 JUN 1 540 CTNS MENS COTTON TROUSERS, 30,240 LB, 1728 CUBE, VIA XX-YY*

IN CAR NO.XX 123456**-GBL***-C98000031****CONTRACT DLA...ETA***-JUNE 5 JONES & CO., JERSEY CITY, N.J.

*Name of rail carrier, trucker, or other carrier.

**Vehicle identification.

***Government bill of lading.

****If not shipped by GBL, identify lading document and state whether by paid by contractor.

*****Estimated time of arrival.

(End of Clause)

(IF7221)

I-4952.245-9USE AND CHARGES (DEVIATION)APR/1984

(a) Definitions.

As used this clause -

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Acquisition cost means the acquisition cost recorded in the Contractor's property control system or, in the absence of such record, the value attributed by the Government to a government property item for purposes of determining a reasonable rental charge.

Government property means property owned or leased by the Government.

Real property means land and rights in land, ground improvements, utility distribution systems, and buildings and other structures. It does not include foundations and other work necessary for installing special tooling, special test equipment, or equipment.

Rental period means the calendar period during which government property is made available for commercial purposes.

Rental time means the number of hours, to the nearest whole hour, rented property is actually used for commercial purposes. It includes time to set up the property for such purposes, perform required maintenance, and restore the property to its condition prior to rental (less normal wear and tear).

(b) General.

(1) Rental requests must be submitted to the administrative Contracting Officer, identify the property for which rental is requested, propose a rental period, and calculate an estimated rental charge by using the Contractor's best estimate of rental times in the formulae described in paragraph (c) of this clause.

(2) The contractor shall not use government property for commercial purposes, including Independent research and Development, until a rental charge for real property, or estimated rental charge for other property, is agreed upon. Rented property shall be used only on a non-interference basis.

(c) Rental charge.

(1) Real property and associated fixtures.

(i) The Contractor shall obtain, at its expense, a property appraisal from an independent licensed, accredited, or certified appraiser that computes a monthly, daily, or hourly rental rate for comparable commercial property. The appraisal may be used to compute rentals under this clause throughout its effective period or, if an effective period is not stated in the appraisal, for one year following the date the appraisal was performed. The contractor shall submit the appraisal to the administrative Contracting Officer at least 30 days prior to the date the property is needed for commercial use. Except as provided in paragraph (c)(1)(iii) of this clause, the administrative contracting Officer shall use the appraisal rental rate to determine a reasonable rental charge.

(ii) Rental charges shall be determined by multiplying the rental time by the appraisal rental rate expressed as a rate per hour. Monthly or daily appraisal rental rates shall be divided by 720 or 24, respectively, to determine an hourly rental rate.

(iii) When the administrative Contracting Officer has reason to believe the appraisal rental rate is not reasonable, he or she shall promptly notify the Contractor and provide his or her rationale. The parties may agree on an alternate means for computing a reasonable rental charge.

(2) Other government property. the Contractor may elect to calculate the final rental charge using the appraisal method described in paragraph (c)(1) of this clause subject to the constraints therein or the following formula in which rental time shall be expressed in increments of not less than one hour with portions of hours rounded to the next higher hour -

$$\text{Rental charge} = \frac{(\text{Rental Time in hours}) (.02 \text{ per hour}) (\text{Acquisition cost})}{720 \text{ hours per month}}$$

(3) Alternate methodology. The Contractor may request consideration of an alternate basis for computing the rental charge if it considers the monthly rental rate or a time-based rental unreasonable or impractical.

(d) Rental payments.

(1) Rent is due at the time and place specified by the Contracting Officer. If a time is not specified, the rental is due 60 days following completion of the rental period. The Contractor shall calculate the rental due, and furnish records or other supporting data in sufficient detail to permit the administrative Contracting Officer to verify the rental time and computation. Unless otherwise permitted by law, payment shall be made by check payable to the Treasurer of the United States and sent to the contract administration office identified in this contract or by electronic funds transfer to that office.

(2) Interest will be charged if payment is not made by the specified payment date or, in the absence of a specified date, the 61st day following completion of the rental period. Interest will accrue at the "Renegotiation Board Interest Rate" (published in the Federal Register semiannually on or about January 1st and July 1st) for the period in which the rent is due.

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(3) The Government's acceptance of any rental payment under this clause, in whole or in part, shall not be construed as a waiver or relinquishment of any rights it may have against the Contractor stemming from the Contractor's unauthorized use of government property or any other failure to perform this contract according to its terms.

(e) Use revocation. At any time during the rental period, the Government may revoke commercial use authorization and require the Contractor, at the Contractor's expense, to return the property to the Government, restore the property to its pre-rental condition (less normal wear and tear), or both.

(f) Unauthorized use. The unauthorized use of government property can subject a person to fines, imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 641.

(End of clause)

(IF7121)

I-50 52.252-6 AUTHORIZED DEVIATIONS IN CLAUSES APR/1984

(a) The use in this solicitation or contract of any Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR Chapter 1) clause with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of ''(DEVIATION)'' after the date of the clause.

(b) The use in this solicitation or contract of any DOD FAR SUPPLEMENT (48 CFR Chapter 2) clause with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of ''(DEVIATION)'' after the name of the regulation.

(End of clause)

(IF7016)

I-51 252.211-7005 SUBSTITUTIONS FOR MILITARY OR FEDERAL SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARDS AUG/2000
DFARS

(a) Definition. ''SPI process,'' as used in this clause, means a management or manufacturing process that has been accepted previously by the department of defense under the Single Process Initiative (SPI) for use in lieu of specific military or Federal specification or standard at specific facilities. Under SPI, these processes are reviewed and accepted by a Management Council, which includes representatives from the Defense Contract Management Agency, the Defense Contract Audit Agency, and the military departments.

(b) Offerors are encouraged to propose SPI process in lieu of military or Federal specifications and standards cited in the solicitation. A listing of SPI process accepted at specific facilities is available via the Internet in PDF format at http://www.dcmc.hq.dla.mil/dcmc_o/oc/spi/files/dbreport/files/modified.pdf and in Excel format at http://www.dcmc.hq.dla.mil/dcmc_o/oc/spi/files/dbreport/files/modified.xls.

(c) An offeror proposing to use an SPI process in lieu of military or Federal specifications or standard cited in the solicitation shall--

- (1) Identify the specific military or Federal specification or standard for which the SPI process has been accepted,
 - (2) identify each facility at which the offeror proposed to use the specific SPI process in lieu of military or Federal specifications or standards cited in the solicitation;
 - (3) Identify the contract line items, subline items, components, or elements affected by the SPI process; and
 - (4) If the proposed SPI process has been accepted at the facility at which it is proposed for use, but is not yet listed at the Internet site specified in paragraph (b) of this clause, submit documentation of Department of Defense acceptance of the SPI process.
- (d) Absent a determination that an SPI process is not acceptable for this procurement, the Contractor shall use the following SPI processes in lieu of military or Federal specifications or standards:

(Offeror insert information for each SPI process)

SPI Process: _____

Facility: _____

Military or Federal Specification or Standard: _____

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Affected Contract Line Item Number, Subline Item Number, Component, or Element: _____

(e) If a prospective offeror wishes to obtain, prior to the time specified for receipt of offers, verification that an SPI process is lan acceptable replacement for military or Federal specifications or standards required by the solicitation, the prospective offeror -

(1) May submit the information required by paragraph (d) of this clause to the Contracting Officer prior to submission of an offer;but

(2) Must submit the information to the Contracting Officer at least 10 working days prior to the date specified for receipt of offers.

(End of Clause)

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SECTION J - LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

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Exhibit A	CONTRACT DATA REQUIREMENTS LIST - DD FORM 1423		001	
Attachment 001	DOCUMENT SUMMARY LIST		001	
Attachment 002	PRICING EVALUATION SPREADSHEET		001	

The following documents are hereby attached by reference and form a part of this acquisition. These documents are available in electronic format on the internet at <http://aais.ria.army.mil/aais/SOLINFO/index.htm>. Vendors should ensure that they have the correct revisions in their possession prior to submitting a bid proposal/quote.

<u>List of Addenda</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Number of Pages</u>
Attachment 1A	Instructions for Completing DD Form 1423	JUN 90	1 Pg
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Attachment 3A	AMCCOM Form 71-R	01OCT88	2 Pgs
Attachment 4A	Guidance on Documentation of Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL)		2 Pgs
Attachment 5A	Disclosure of Lobbying Activities (SF-LLL)		3 Pgs

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SECTION K - REPRESENTATIONS, CERTIFICATIONS, AND OTHER STATEMENTS OF OFFERORS
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	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
K-1	52.204-6	DATA UNIVERSAL NUMBERING SYSTEM (DUNS) NUMBER	JUN/1999
K-2	52.219-1	SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAM REPRESENTATIONS, ALTERNATE I & II	MAY/2001
(a)(1)		The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code for this acquisition is 332611.	
(2)		The small business size standard is 500.	
(3)		The small business size standard for a concern which submits an offer in its own name, other than on a construction or service contract, but which proposes to furnish a product which it did not itself manufacture, is 500 employees.	
(b)	Representations.	(1) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it_____is,_____is not a small business concern.	
(2)		(Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it_____is,_____is not a small disadvantaged business concern as defined in 13 CFR 124.1002.	
(3)		(Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it_____is,_____is not a women-owned small business concern.	
(4)		(Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that -	
(i)		it ____is ____is not a veteran-owned small business concern.	
(5)		(Complete only if the offeror represented itself as a veteran-owned small business concern in paragraph (b)(4) of this provision.) The offeror represents as part of its offer that it ____is ____is not a service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern.	
(6)		(Complete only if offeror represented itself as small business concern in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision). The offeror represents, as part of its offer, that -	
(i)		it ____is ____is not a HUBZone small business concern listed, on the date of this representation, on the List of Qualified HUBZone Small Business Concerns maintained by the Small Business Administration, and no material change in ownership and control, principal place, or HUBZone employee percentage has occurred since it was certified by the Small Business Administration in accordance with 13 CFR part 126; and	
(ii)		it ____is ____is not a joint venture that complies with the requirements of 13 CFR part 126, and the representations in paragraph (b)(4)(i) of this provision is accurate for the HUBZone small business concern, or concerns that are participating in the joint venture. [The offeror shall enter the name or name of the HUBZone small business concern or concerns that are participating in the joint venture:_____.] Each HUBZone small business concern participating in the joint venture shall submit a separate signed copy of the HUBZone representation.	

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(7) (Complete if the offeror represented itself as disadvantaged in paragraph (b)(2) of this provision). [The offeror shall check the category in which its ownership falls]:

- _____ Black American.
- _____ Hispanic American.
- _____ Native American (American Indians, Eskimos, Aleuts, or Native Hawaiians).
- _____ Asian-Pacific American) persons with origins from Burma, Thailand, Malaysia, Indonesia, Singapore, Brunei, Japan, China, Taiwan, Laos, Cambodia (Kampuchea), Vietnam, Korea, The Philippines, U.S. Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, (Republic of Palau, Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Samoa, Macao, Hong Kong, Fiji, Tonga, Kirbati, Tuvalu, or Naura).
- _____ Subcontinent Asian (Asian-Indian) American (persons with origins from India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, the Maldives Islands, or Nepal).
- _____ Individual/concern, other than one of the preceding.

(c) Definitions. As used in this provision -

"Service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern" -

- (1) Means a small business concern -
 - (i) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans, or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more service-disabled veterans; and
 - (ii) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more service-disabled veterans, or, in the case of a veteran with permanent and sever disability, the spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran.

(2) Service-disabled veteran means a veteran, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(2), with a disability that is service-connected, as defined in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).

"Small business concern," as used in this provision, means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding on Government contracts, and qualified as a small business under the criteria in 13 CFR Part 121 and the size standard in paragraph (a) of this provision.

- "Veteran-owned small business concern" means a small business concern -
- (1) Not less than 51 percent of which is owned by one or more veteran (as defined at 38 U.S.C. 101(2)) or, in the case of any publicly owned business, not less than 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more veterans; and
 - (2) The management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more veterans.

"Women-owned small business concern," as used in this provision, means a small business concern--

- (1) That is at least 51 percent owned by one or more women; or, in the case of any publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock of which is owned by one or more women; and
- (2) Whose management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more women.

(d) Notice. (1) If this solicitation is for supplies and has been set aside, in whole or in part, for small business concerns, then the clause in this solicitation providing notice of the set-aside contains restrictions on the source of the end items to be furnished.

(2) Under 15 U.S.C. 645(d), any person who misrepresents a firm's status as a small, small disadvantaged, or women-owned small business concern in order to obtain a contract to be awarded under the preference programs established pursuant to sections 8(a), 8(d), 9, or 15 of the Small Business Act or any other provision of Federal law that specifically references section 8(d) for a definition of program eligibility, shall--

- (i) Be punished by imposition of fine, imprisonment, or both;
- (ii) Be subject to administrative remedies, including suspension and debarment; and

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(iii) Be ineligible for participation in programs conducted under the authority of the Act.

(End of provision)

(KF6013)

K-3 52.203-2 CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT PRICE DETERMINATION APR/1985

(a) The offeror certifies that-

- (1) The prices in this offer have been arrived at independently, without, for the purpose of restricting competition, any consultation, communication, or agreement with any other offeror or competitor relating to (i) those prices, (ii) the intention to submit an offer, or (iii) the methods or factors used to calculate the prices offered;
- (2) The prices in this offer have not been and will not knowingly be disclosed by the offeror, directly or indirectly, to any other offeror or competitor before bid opening (in the case of a sealed bid solicitation) or contract award (in the case of a negotiated solicitation) unless otherwise required by law; and

(3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the offeror to induce any other concern to submit or not to submit an offer for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) Each signature on the offer is considered to be a certification by the signatory that the signatory-

- (1) Is the person in the offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices being offered in this bid or proposal, and that the signatory has not participated and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraph (a)(1) through (a)(3) above; or
- (2) (i) Has been authorized, in writing, to act as agent for the following principals in certifying those principals have not participated, and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above_____ (insert full name of person(s) in the offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices offered in this bid or proposal, and the title of his or her position in the offeror's organization);
- (ii) As an authorized agent, does certify that the principals named in subdivision (b)(2)(i) above have not participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to subparagraph (a)(1) through (a)(3) above; and

(iii) As an agent, has not personally participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above.

(c) If the offeror deletes or modifies subparagraph (a)(2) above, the offeror must furnish with its offer a signed statement setting forth in detail the circumstances of the disclosure.

(End of Provision)

(KF7005)

K-4 52.207-4 ECONOMIC PURCHASE QUANTITY - SUPPLIES AUG/1987

(a) Offerors are invited to state an opinion on whether the quantity(ies) of supplies on which bids, proposals or quotes are requested in this solicitation is (are) economically advantageous to the Government.

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(b) Each offeror who believes that acquisitions in different quantities would be more advantageous is invited to recommend an economic purchase quantity. If different quantities are recommended, a total and a unit price must be quoted for applicable items. An economic purchase quantity is that quantity at which a significant price break occurs. If there are significant price breaks at different quantity points, this information is desired as well.

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<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>PRICE QUOTATION</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>

(c) The information requested in this provision is being solicited to avoid acquisitions in disadvantageous quantities and to assist the Government in developing a data base for future acquisitions of these items. However, the Government reserves the right to amend or cancel the solicitation and resolicit with respect to any individual item in the event quotations received and the Government's requirements indicate that different quantities should be acquired.

(End of Provision)

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K-5	52.222-22	PREVIOUS CONTRACTS AND COMPLIANCE REPORTS	FEB/1999
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The offeror represents that -

- (a) It () has, () has not participated in a previous contract or subcontract subject to the Equal Opportunity clause of this solicitation;
- (b) It () has, () has not, filed all required compliance reports; and
- (c) Representations indicating submission of required compliance reports, signed by subcontractors, will be obtained before subcontract awards.

(End of Provision)

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K-6	52.222-25	AFFIRMATIVE ACTION COMPLIANCE	APR/1984
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The offeror represents that (a) it () has developed and has on file, () has not developed and does not have on file, at each establishment, affirmative action programs required by the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor (41 CFR 60-1 and 60-2), or (b) it () has not previously had contracts subject to the written affirmative action programs requirement of the rules and regulations of the Secretary of Labor.

(End of Provision)

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	<u>Regulatory Cite</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
L-1	52.215-1	INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFERORS - COMPETITIVE ACQUISITION	MAY/2001
L-2	252.204-7001 DFARS	COMMERCIAL AND GOVERNMENT ENTITY (CAGE) CODE	AUG/1999
L-3	52.211-14	NOTICE OF PRIORITY RATING FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE USE	SEP/1990

Any contract awarded as a result of this solicitation will be a DO-A5 rated order certified for national defense use under the Defense Priorities and Allocations System (DPAS)(15 CFR 700), and the Contractor will be required to follow all of the requirements of this regulation.

(LF6014)

L-4	52.233-2	SERVICE OF PROTEST	OCT/1995
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(a) Protests, as defined in section 33.101 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation, that are filed directly with an agency, and copies of any protests that are filed with the General Accounting Office (GAO) or the General Services Administration Board of Contract Appeals (GSCBA), shall be served on the Contracting Officer (addressed as follows) by obtaining written and dated acknowledgment of receipt from Contracting Officer, AMSTA-LC-CFA-B, Rock Island, IL 61299-7630. A protest to be filed with HQ, AMC, in accordance with the clause in Section A entitled HQ, AMC-Level Protest Program, shall be addressed to: HQ, Army Materiel Command, Office of Command Counsel, ATTN: AMCCC-PL, 5001 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22333-0001. (Facsimile number (703) 617-5680/617-4999.)

(b) The copy of any protest shall be received in the office designated above on the same day a protest is filed with the GSCBA or within one day of filing a protest with the GAO.

(c) In this procurement, you may not protest to the GSCBA because of the nature of the supplies or services being procured.

(End of Provision)

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L-5	52.252-5	AUTHORIZED DEVIATIONS IN PROVISIONS	APR/1984
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(a) The use in this solicitation of any Federal Acquisition Regulation (48 CFR Chapter 1) provision with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of ''(DEVIATION)'' after the date of the clause.

(b) The use in this solicitation of any DOD FAR SUPPLEMENT (48 CFR Chapter 2) provision with an authorized deviation is indicated by the addition of ''(DEVIATION)'' after the name of the regulation.

(End of Provision)

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L-6	52.215-4510 TACOM-RI	ELECTRONIC BIDS/OFFERS	JUN/2001
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1. Bids/offers and Quotes to the government shall be signed by a MEMBER OF THE FIRM AUTHORIZED TO BIND THE COMPANY. This requirement is in accordance with (IAW) Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 4.102.

2. Bidders/Offerors/Quoters are required to submit their bids/offers/quotes for this solicitation via electronic response on the TACOM-RI Business Opportunities, open Solicitations web page, or via facsimile (datafax) to 309/782-2047.

3. Prior to submission of your bid/offer and quotes, read the latest electronic bid/proposal instructions at web page:

<http://aaisbids.ria.army.mil> and click on the icon for additional information.

4. Assuming that your bid/proposal/quote was transmitted successfully, you will receive the following message:

"A directory for your Cage Code, XXXX was created under Solicitation DAAE20XXXXXXX, and your file was moved to it. If you have any other files to send, use the "Back" arrow on your browser. IF YOU EXPERIENCE ANY PROBLEMS WITH THIS PROCESS, CONTACT THE CONTRACT SPECIALIST LISTED ON THE OPEN SOLICITATION PAGE.
<http://aais.ria.army.mil/aais/Padds_web/index.html>."

5. If you receive an error message of any type, your bid/proposal/quote was not transmitted and must be resubmitted if you wish it to be considered for award. You may resubmit by repeating the steps for electronic submittal or by data-faxing your bid/proposal/quote to Area Code (309)782-2047.

6. Bids/Proposals/Quotes must arrive in their entirety by the time specified in the solicitation. Bidders/Offerors/Quoters bear the responsibility of timely transmission of their bids/offers/quotes to ensure the availability of an open transmission line and to take into consideration the length of time required to complete the required upload transaction prior to the time established in the solicitation.

(End of Provision)

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| L-7 | 52.215-4511 | ELECTRONIC AWARD NOTICE | APR/1999 |
| | TACOM-RI | | |
- a. Any contract awarded as result of this solicitation will be posted to the Internet for downloading and paper copies will not be distributed. This is a material condition of the solicitation and by submission of a bid or proposal, the vendor agrees to accept an electronic award transmitted in the manner described above.

 - b. Notice of award to the awardee will be issued only via electronic mail. Venders who wish to be notified if they receive an award as a result of this solicitation must provide their electronic mail address in the space provided below. If the vendor fails to provide an electronic mail address, then a separate notice of award will not be provided and it shall be the sole responsibility of the vendor to periodically check the Internet to determine if he/she has received an award. In this event, the vendor's failure to check the Internet and download a copy of the award in a timely manner shall not be an excuse for failure to perform or grounds for a delivery schedule extension.

 - c. Notice of award to unsuccessful offerors shall be issued only via the Commerce Business Daily, the Internet and electronic mail. Vendors who wish to receive an electronic mail notice if they are unsuccessful must provide an electronic mail address in the space provided below. If the vendor fails to provide an electronic mail address, then a separate notice will not be provided, and it shall be the sole responsibility of the vendor to periodically check the Commerce Business Daily and/or the internet to determine if an award has been made. In this event, the vendor's failure to check the Commerce Business Daily and/or the Internet to determine if an award has been made shall not constitute grounds for an extension of the ten (10) day protest period allow in regulation.

Vendor's Electronic Mail Address:

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SECTION L: PAST PERFORMANCE

A. DEFINITIONS:

1. Past Performance Information: as used in this solicitation, is relevant information regarding a contractor's performance success under previously awarded contracts. The performance information submitted by the offeror and information obtained from sources external to the Government on non-Government contracts and internal U.S. Army/DOD sources and databases, such as, but not limited to interview/questionnaire input from historical contract administrators, the Past Performance Automated Information System (PPAIS), Past Performance Information System (PPIMS), Mechanization of Contract Administration Services System (MOCAS), and any other available information may be investigated to assess and rate performance risk. This risk rating will include areas such as; the offeror's current and prior performance record of conforming to specifications and to standards of quality and good workmanship; the contractor's adherence to contract requirements (such as delivery schedules etc.) and administrative aspects of contract performance for either hardware or software items or both; the general aspects of overall performance under the terms of the contract; the contractor's business relations, history of reasonableness and cooperative behavior and its commitment to customer satisfaction; and generally, the offeror's business-like concern for the interests of the customer.

2. Recent and Relevant Contracts: as defined and used in this solicitation, recent and relevant contracts are past or current, commercial, foreign or Government (Federal, State, or Local), contract(s) that were performed within the past three (3) years. These contract reference(s) could be currently on going and in the process of being delivered and partially completed, or delivered in full and completed sometime within the past three (3) years. In assessing performance risk on this solicitation, the Source Selection Authority may use these recent/relevant contract references cited by the offeror, and the information obtained from these contracts, and any other information, on these and other contracts, as obtained during the evaluation. The contract references cited by the offeror do not have to meet all the requirements below, but we are especially interested in contracts with the following characteristics where the offeror has demonstrated they have ability on current or past contracts which are similar to the production processes, and requirements of the technical data package and overall complexity of the requirements contained in this solicitation.

3. Performance Risk: as used in this solicitation, are those risks associated with the probability or likelihood that an offeror will successfully perform the solicitation's requirements as indicated by the offeror's record of current and past performance.

B. PAST PERFORMANCE INFORMATION SUBMISSION:

Since we may not interview all the sources provided by the offeror, the burden of providing thorough, complete, accurate and up to date performance risk information remains with each offeror. We do not assume the duty to search for data or to correct incomplete proposal submissions or to cure problems we find in proposals. We may (a) assign a higher risk rating, (b) assign a neutral rating, or (c) reject a proposal if it does not contain the required information noted below.

1. Successful Contract References: The offeror shall include contract references as part of its proposal submission on recent, relevant contracts as defined above. The number of submissions should be no more than five (5) relevant and recent contracts and shall include as a minimum the following information listed in subparagraphs a-i below. The format for submission of this information shall be at the discretion of the offeror and shall be submitted in electronic format as required by the solicitation.

- a. Contract number and award date
- b. Item(s) and or services provided, including National Stock Number (NSN) , Product Description, Part Number
- c. A detailed explanation of the relevance of the contract reference as defined in the recent/relevant definitions of paragraph A.2.
- d. Contract Value
- e. Include all technical innovations and engineering changes that improved the quality of performance aspects of the delivered product.
- f. Contracting activity or Commercial Mailing addresses.
- g. Delivery schedule/performance: For any contract which did not meet or is currently not meeting the original schedule(s), or technical performance requirements, provide a brief explanation of the reason(s) for the shortcoming, any corrective actions taken to avoid recurrence, and the extent to which the corrective action has been successful. List each time the delivery schedule was revised and provide an explanation of why the revision was necessary. Also provide a copy of any cure notices or show cause letters received on each contract listed and a description of any corrective actions taken. Identify any contracts, which were terminated, and the types and reasons for the termination.
- h. Include all quality problems (i.e. internal/external customer complaints, lot/first piece failures, audit findings classified as major, etc.) encountered in performance of the contract and if applicable address demonstrated corrective actions implemented as a result of the problem encountered. Also, if applicable, identify any significant achievements associated with contract performance.
- i. Point(s) of contact, including names, job titles, telephone and FAX numbers, and email addresses for both Government and Non-Government positions.

2. Unsuccessful Contract References: In addition to the successful contract references, the offeror shall also identify the same information as required in subparagraphs B.1.a-i recent contract(s) in which you were either the prime or the subcontractor that may have been terminated, or cancelled for any reason, in whole or in part. If there were no terminations, please state that.

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M-1	52.215-4507 TACOM-RI	EVALUATION OF OFFERS	MAR/1988

An offeror must quote on all items in this solicitation to be eligible for award. All items will be awarded only as a unit. Evaluation of offers will be based, among other factors, upon the total price quoted for all items.

(End of Provision)

(MS7100)

SECTION M: BASIS FOR AWARD

M.1 OVERVIEW

A. The Government will base its award decision in accordance with the Tradeoff Process contemplated under FAR 15.101-1. Award of a contract will be made to the offeror whose proposal offers the best value to the Government considering any appropriate tradeoffs between performance risk and price. Performance risk is slightly more important than price. However, when the evaluation ratings for all offerors in the area of performance risk tend to equalize, price may become more important.

B. The Government reserves the right to make an award to other than the low priced offeror.

C. The Government may reject any proposal that is unrealistically high or low in its price.

M.2 PERFORMANCE RISK:

A. A Performance Risk Rating will be developed by the Government (for each offeror), using the information and relevancy of the offeror's past performance information, as defined in accordance with Section L, paragraphs A and B. In evaluating performance risk, the Government may review the offeror's demonstrated record of performance, corrective actions, and general trends, which may include, adherence to delivery schedules, any quality issue(s) and extensions within the past three years. A significant achievement, problem/problem resolution or lack of relevant data in any element can become an important consideration in the selection process. A negative finding in any element may result in an overall high-risk rating. A single evaluation rating will be assigned covering all relevant contract(s) as submitted by each offeror for the area of past performance. This single evaluation rating will be assigned using the following adjectival-narrative rating criteria:

Very Low Risk: Based on the offeror's past performance, very little doubt exists that the offeror will successfully perform the required effort.

Low Risk: Based on the offeror's past performance, little doubt exists that the offeror will successfully perform the required effort.

Moderate Risk: Based on the offeror's past performance, some doubt exists that the offeror will successfully perform the required effort.

High Risk: Based on the offeror's past performance, significant doubt exists that the offeror will successfully perform the required effort.

Neutral: A level of risk could not be determined and is unknown. No relevant performance record was identified or located.

B. In conducting the past performance risk evaluation, the Government may use relevant data and information extrinsic to the proposal, which is otherwise available to the Government. Since the Government may not necessarily interview all sources provided by offeror's, it

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is incumbent upon the offeror to describe the relevance of the data provided. While the Government may elect to consider data obtained from other sources, the burden of providing thorough and complete past performance information rests with the offerors. Therefore, offerors are reminded to include all relevant past efforts and necessary information, including demonstrated corrective actions in their proposal.

M.3 PRICE:

- A. The offeror shall be evaluated based on the proposal's total evaluated price to the Government.
- B. Any proposal that is unrealistically high or low in price will be deemed indicative of a failure to comprehend the Government's requirements. The Government may reject a proposal for this reason.
- C. Notwithstanding identified evaluation criteria, affordability will be an overriding consideration in the Government's evaluation of offeror proposals. The Government reserves the right to make no award as a result of the solicitation, if, upon evaluation, none of the proposals are deemed likely to meet the Government's requirements at an acceptable level of risk and/or price.
- D. The closer the ratings between the offerors in the performance risk area, the more significant price effectively becomes.
- E. Offerors are urged to ensure that their proposals are submitted on the most favorable terms in order to reflect their best possible potential, since less than the optimal initial proposal could result in exclusion of the proposal from further consideration.
- F. The Government will evaluate offers based on the prices proposed for all pricing periods and any other price related factors required by the solicitation.
- G. For purposes of evaluation the proposed unit price for each quantity range will be multiplied by the corresponding weight, and the results will be added to arrive at a weighted unit price that will be multiplied by the estimated quantity. Award will be based on the total evaluated price (For all Pricing Periods).
- H. The weights represent the likelihood that if an order is placed, it will be placed in that range.
- I. If an offeror fails to propose unit prices for all quantity ranges and pricing periods, the Government may reject that offer as unacceptable.
- J. The offeror's Price Proposal shall consist of Attachment 002, Pricing Evaluation Spreadsheet (Section J) of this solicitation.
- K. All offeror's shall enter firm fixed prices for all quantity ranges and pricing periods for CLIN 0001 on the Pricing Evaluation Spreadsheet (Attachment 002). Do not insert proposed prices in Section B of the solicitation. All unit prices proposed shall be binding.
- L. The Government reserves the right to require submission of any data to validate the reasonableness of an offer.

*** END OF NARRATIVE M 002 ***